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Claims

What is claimed is:

- 1 1. A computer controlled user-interactive document
- 2 editing display system comprising:
- means for defining one segment of displayed data in
- 4 a displayed document;
- 5 means for defining another segment of displayed data
- 6 in said displayed document;
- 7 means enabling a user to select to swap said one
- 8 segment with said another segment; and
- 9 means responsive to said user selection to swap for
- 10 swapping the positions of said segments of data with each
- 11 other.
 - 1 2. The document editing display system of claim 1,
 - 2 further including means for highlighting said one and
- 3 said another segments prior to swapping the positions of
- 4 said segments.
- 1 3. The document editing display system of claim 1,
- 2 wherein said displayed data in said swapped segments is
- 3 alphanumeric text.
- 1 4. The document editing display system of claim 3,
- 2 wherein said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped
- 3 segments is a phrase.
- 1 5. The document editing display system of claim 3,
- 2 wherein said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped
- 3 segments is a sentence.

- 1 6. The document editing display system of claim 3,
- 2 wherein said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped
- 3 segments is a paragraph.
- 1 7. The document editing display system of claim 3,
- 2 wherein said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped
- 3 segments is at least one page in length.
- 1 8. The document editing display system of claim 3,
- 2 wherein said swapped segments further include images.

- 1 9. A method of user-interactive document editing on a
- 2 display comprising:
- 3 defining one segment of displayed data in a
- 4 displayed document;
- 5 defining another segment of displayed data in said
- 6 displayed document;
- 7 enabling a user to select to swap said one segment
- 8 with said another segment; and
- 9 swapping the positions of said segments of data with
- 10 each other responsive to a user selection to swap.
 - 1 10. The document editing method of claim 9 further
 - 2 including the steps of highlighting said one and said
 - 3 another segments prior to swapping the positions of said
 - 4 segments.
 - 1 11. The document editing method of claim 9, wherein said
 - 2 displayed data in said swapped segments is alphanumeric
 - 3 text.
 - 1 12. The document editing method of claim 11, wherein
 - 2 said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments
 - 3 is a phrase.
 - 1 13. The document editing method of claim 11, wherein
- 2 said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments
- 3 is a sentence.
- 1 14. The document editing method of claim 11, wherein
- 2 said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments
- 3 is a paragraph.

- 1 15. The document editing method of claim 11, wherein
- 2 said alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments
- 3 is at least one page in length.
- 1 16. The document editing method of claim 11, wherein
- 2 said swapped segments further include images.

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- 1 17. A computer program having program code included on a
- 2 computer readable medium for user-interactive document
- 3 editing on a computer controlled display system
- 4 comprising:
- 5 means for defining one segment of displayed data in
- 6 a displayed document;
- 7 means for defining another segment of displayed data
- 8 in said displayed document;
- 9 means enabling a user to select to swap said one
- 10 segment with said another segment; and
- 11 means responsive to said user selection to swap for
- 12 swapping the positions of said segments of data with each
- 13 other.
 - 1 18. The computer program of claim 17, further including
 - 2 means for highlighting said one and said another segments
 - 3 prior to swapping the positions of said segments.
 - 1 19. The computer program of claim 18, wherein said
 - 2 displayed data in said swapped segments is alphanumeric
 - 3 text.
 - 1 20. The computer program of claim 19, wherein said
 - 2 alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments is a
 - 3 phrase.
 - 1 21. The computer program of claim 19, wherein said
 - 2 alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments is a
 - 3 sentence.
 - 1 22. The commuter program of claim 19, wherein said
 - 2 alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments is a
 - 3 paragraph.

- 1 23. The computer program of claim 19, wherein said
- 2 alphanumeric text in each of said swapped segments is at
- 3 least one page in length.
- 1 24. The computer program of claim 19, wherein said
- 2 swapped segments further include images.